FISCAL MEMORANDUM HB 649 - SB 1382

March 10, 2008

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (014951): Deletes the language of the original bill. Requires the regional planning commission, municipal planning commission designated as a regional planning commission, community planning commission, municipal planning commission, county or municipal zoning boards, or county or municipal legislative body to review all plans for the installation or replacement of security gates at residential, commercial, or industrial facilities. Requires the developer or owner to obtain a permit from the authority before installing or replacing a security gate. Requires an official designated by the authority to inspect all installed or replaced gates. Requires that security gates be equipped with a radio operated transmitter capable of receiving signals from emergency vehicles.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Increase Local Expenditures* - Exceeds \$424,000

Assumptions applied to amendment:

- According to the Comptroller, local government expenditures will increase \$324,000 for the purchase of at least one transmitter per emergency vehicle. There are approximately 10,800 emergency vehicles owned by local governments. A transmitter is estimated to cost \$30 (10,800 x \$30 = \$324,000).
- Local government expenditures will increase at least \$100,000 for new personnel needed to comply with the requirements of this legislation.

*Article II, Section 24 of the Tennessee Constitution provides that: no law of general application shall impose increased expenditure requirements on cities or counties unless the General Assembly shall provide that the state share in the cost.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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